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FRIDAY EVENING! MAY 13, 1881.

The Mahonites of Campbell county have resoved that "our thanks are dun General Mahone for the able manner in which he has defended our interests in the Senate of the United States." Considering the two facts that the Mahonites in Virginia say their chief object is to scale down and settle the Siste debt, and that the Mahonites in Washington say that the reduction and settlement of the State debt is not the primary object of their movement, but that their main purpose is to secure a free vote and a fair count, and as neither one of these objects can be attained by Congressional action, but all matters solely within the province of the Virginia Legislature. inquiring people will be disposed to ask what are those interests the Mahonites have in the U. S. Senate that have been so ally defended by General Mahone? It is true that the Genoral's two friends, Messis, Gerham and Riddleberger, did have an illegitimate interest in the Senate, bu', so far from defending that interest ably, the result shows that the General managed it miscrably, and not only utterly de stroyed its prospect of success, and gave an unenviable notoriery to the friends who held it, from the effects of which they will never recover, but also brought shame and ridicu'e

The effensive habit indulged in ty some young men and youths of longing on Sundays it possith before the end of the session, which in the cometeries near the city, sitting in everybody new express will cour about the groups on every available temb-stone and middle of next week.

The failure of General Mahone to vote yesgrave, and offending the ear with coarse and ribald conversation, shou'd be broken up. There are many exmplaints of this grossly indepent conduct from lot owners who, visiting the cometeries and the graves of their dead on that day, have their secsibilities constantly shocked. Will not the Mayor-as he has done in the past-detail a policeman with orders to patrel the cemeteries on Sunday afternoons and provent the effense alluded te? If he will do this he will earn the thanks of every self respect- Lusiness unattended to, bus its committees have ing man and woman in the community.

It the Council have the best interests of the oity at heart it will repeat the new Sunday law at its next meeting. Alexandria has few encu;h attractions already without imposing in Virginia, said to have been effected through upon the people who live and those who visit | the influence of General Mahone, but another here restrictions that might have been conso | gentlemen equally as influential did. The renant with public feeling in the days and in the sult of the latter's interview has not, as yet, country of the Puritans. Sunday observances | The republicans of the Senate held anothe can not be enforced by law, but even if they caucus this morning, but had arrived ut no ken in two places when climbing into a wegon could, such a law would be incompatible with | definite conclusion when the hour arrived for free institutions, for it would infringe upon individual liberty., If the new law be not repealed by the Council that enacted it, the upon, the indications were that a satisfactory voters of the city should see that the one to be agreement would be arrived at, but as they elected this month shall repeal it as soon as or-

ley Matthews to be Associate Justice of the ! Sapreme Court of the United States was non firmed at yesterday's executive session of the this enemies, headed by Senator Corking, will Senate. His confirmation aids another to the friends of the railroads on the Supreme Banch, and as it is concided that the other vacancies on that bench will also be titled by men fiver able to the railroad interests, it is by no means improbable that that court's decision adverse to those interests may be reversed next winter. As i under radical rule the new julge had to be a republican and a Northern man, Judge Matany one clas would have been.

In the matter of Virginia postoffices the President is sustaining his words by his deeds. We have for more than two weeks past been asserting almost daily that he has declared his specific.

The President sont a message to the Senate intention of throwing the whole weight of his administration in favor of Mahone, and nearly every day during that time his Postmaster General has been turning out postmesiers in Virginia, some of whom were ladies, and nearly all republicans, and putting Mahone democrats in their places. The democratic Senstors should be apprised of this before they vote on the Robertson comination.

Take it all in all Mahone has been to the democratic party a blessing in disguise, for, by giving the republicans an illegitimate majority large number of chiefs present. in the Senate, he has already utterly divided them not only in New York, but in the whole he says: Union; and so far as the State of Virgicia is concerned, has so united the democracy that they will have no trouble in carrying the next

The season is engaged in a disagreeable lut apparently successful effort to make up for lost time, and the prespect now is that as much caloric will be crowded into the remainder of May as will make up the amount that legitimately belongs to all the three Spring months.

In the United States Circuit Court in Richmond yesterday-Judgo Hughes presidingthe suit of Thomas McCann vs. The City of Richmond, which had been set for a hearing yesterday, was postponed until the Sih of June.
The plaintiff sues for \$27,000, claiming that the city failed to fu'fill her part of the contract by not being ready for him to commerce the work at the new water works at the time speci-

Tom Jackson, a colored barber of Luray, was tried before the U. S. Distric: Court, in Harri sonburg, last Saturday, for the illicit sale of whiskey in that town, and upon his ples of guilty, was sentenced to two months in iail and to pay a fine of \$100.

P. H. Hubard, etq. has discovered a very rich bed of magnetic ore on his farm near Farm wille.

The largest sales of leaf tobacco ever known in one day in Danville, were made on Wednesday, and amounted to 108,650 pounds.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Special Correspondence of the Alexa, Gazette WASHINGTON, D. C., May 13, 1881. Among the nominations sent to the Senate to-day were those of Fred Douglass to be Commissioner of Deeds, and C. E. Honry to be Marshal of the District of Columbia. Neither day. the property owners nor the members of the bar were consulted in the matter of either of these nextinations.

The report about the one majority that was east for the Mathews' confirmation being the vote of a Senator who was paired with Mr. Telier, and that a reconsideration of that confirmation would therefore be made, is entirely in correct. Mr. Teller's pair is Mr. Maxey, who is absent, and the idea of such a thing as the reconsideration of the vote has never entered the head of any member of the Senate.

It is rumored to day that efforts for the removal of B. B. Botts from his position as Collector of internal revenue for the Alexandria district, and the appointment thereto of William Brown, are being prosecuted so vigorously that the former's friends are bestirring themsolves in his behalf, and the fact that Mr. Botts, and his brothers-in-law J. F. and L. L. Lawis, and others of his friends are in the city to day gives eredence to the report.

Among the cominations confirmed by the Senate in executive session to day were those of Judge Pardee to be judge of the 5th U. S. Court, and Dr. Gilmer to be postmaster of Richmond. It seems that nobody opposed the latter, and that under the law if he had not been confirmed at once the deposed postmaster, Foress, would have had the right to take pase

stasion of the office. The Misses Jennings, of Warrenton, V: great granddaughters of Capt. Pickett, of Revolutionary fame, have a large and beautifully engraved cut glass goblet taken with other British spoils at the Yorktown surrender. They called upon Senator Johnston, President of the Yorktown commission, last night to see if that commission would not buy it, asking for it one thousand dollars, but were informed that the commission had no money for such purposes. Mr. W. H. Baroum is in the city to day. He has just returned from a visit to Virginia, where he has large business interests, and stoppad here to take a peop at the political situa-

Nothing has yet been done in the case of J. H. Gray, whose nomination for Collector of Customs at Al-xandria was sent in sometime ago. The nomination is before the Committee on Commorce, of which Mr. Conkling is chairman, but that committee has not reported upon it. Mr. Gray wis here to day to urge action upon it

terday on the Matthews nomination, though he was not paired, is the subject of a good deal of talk to day, the prevailing impression regarding it being that his vaunted independentism has, under stress of circumstances, degenerated icto impotent and contemptible neutrality.

Before the Secate went into executive session to day it agreed that when to day's session adjourned it should be until Mordiy. All the business on the ellendar has been transacted, so that as far as the Senate proper is concerned is could adjourn to day without leaving any many nemiastions before them, upon which they have not reported.

In consequence of other business Senator Johnston did not call upon the President today, as he expected to have done, with referonce to the late charges in the small postoffices

the commercement of to day's session of the Sensic. Those who were present say that while as yet nothing decisiva was determined have been talking this way from the first of the d fliculty, nobody be inves them and they don't be inverthemselves, the general impression being As anticipated the nomination of Mr. Stan- I that the President's friends will demand the consideration of the Rober son commution, that it will be confirmed, and that hereafter the war between the President's friends and

be fought a l'outrance, and that as the rogues have fallen out, bonest men will get their dues. The heat was so intense to-day that when the Senate went into executive session, the doors of the galleries had to be opened to afford sufficient ventilation so that the rooms set apart for the newspaper correspondents and telegraph operators, as well as all the other rooms on the gallery

for were cleared. Notwithstanding the President's recent avowal of his intention to throw all his influence and that of his administration in favor of the Mahonites and the many late acts of his Postmastor thews is probably as satisfactory to the South as General substantiating that avowal, recent developments induce the belief that that intention has been or at an early date will be changed, and that the General will be left in the lurch by the administration as he has been by the Senate. If this be so, and many of the best informed pecple in Wassington are confident of it, surely the General's retribution has come upon him

> day withdrawing the nomination of Lewis Wallace as Charge d'Affairce at Paragusy and Urugusy at his own request.
> John W. Wheat has this day been appointed postmaster at Fairfield, Bockbridge county, Va., vice Gabriel Lilley, resigned, and J. J. Hofford,

at Martin's Statiou, Pulaski county, Va., vice Leonard S. Calfee, removed. Red Men.

The Council Fire of the Great Council of Virginia, Improved Order of Rad Men, was kindled Wednesday meroing, in the wigwam of Wyandotte Tribe No. 42, in Norfolk, with a

The Grand Sachem made his report in which

"It becomes ny melacoholy duty to impart to you officially the sad intelligences that during the past great sun the Great Spirit, in His infinite wiedem, has seen fit to remove from our midst one who was honored and beloved by this great body-whose wisdom, forethought and councils will be sadly missed.

Brother Hugh Latham, P. S., great sachem of this great council and past great incohonce G. C. U. S , passed from these hunting grounds on 25th sug, traveling moon, G. S. D. 389 (common cra Ostober 25th, 1880.) In his death this great council has met with an irreparable less. Always on his post of duty. laboring in the cause of Freedom, Friendship and Charity, be has passed away, full of honors, an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, his and gone to his rest beyond the setting sun.

Without any suggestion on my part, I doubt not this great c. u.cil will take the necessary steps to pay all boror and respice so justly due the memory of our departed chief and

In the afternoon the great council proceeded to the election of great chiefs, with the following result: Great Szchem, E. M. Solomon of Norfolk; Great Scotor Sagamore, E. Fisher of Lynchburg; Great Junion Sagamore, Henry F. Philips of Hampton ; Great Prophet, George W. Talby of Marchester ; Great Chief of Records. C. A. B. Coffroth of Winehester; Great favorable upon it, and that Senator Edmunds Keeper of Wampum, Henry Kiczel of Win- telegraphed to Teller, who responded that he Geo. W. Hall of Petersburg.

A series of resolutions expressive of deep feelings at the death of P. G. I. Hogh Latham | Senate this morning to withdraw his vote, and were received from the great council of Dela- if this was not allowed he would move a reconware, which were ordered to be spread on the sideration of the vote by which Mr. Matthews

NEWS OF THE DAY. Frenklin county, Kr., pays the government \$15,000 per day for whiskey manufactured and

placed is bond within her borders. The one bundred and third call, with provision for continuance of five per cent bonds, was issued by the Secretary of the Treasury yester-

Prof. W. L. Dudley, in a lecture at Cincin-nati last night, made known the discovery of a process for fusing and molding iridium, a metal hitherto considered incapable of being formed Two painters, while painting the gympasium

in Washington yesterday afternoon, fell from the seaffold, a distance of 60 feet. William Middleton was killed outright, and John Harrison had his right leg and arm broken.

William Hollinger has been neptenged to be hanged at Paris, Texas, for the murder of a man named Weatherby about a year ago. They

The residence of Rev. Father Douchue, St. Vincent's Catholic Church, at Piymouth, Pa., was entered by burglars at an early hour this morning. Chloroform was administered to the priest, after which he was robbed of money and jewelry to the value of \$300.

Bartholomew J. Sethons, a retired merchant of Pitteton, Pa., was arrested at the Cortlandt street ferry, New York last night by the police as he was buying a ticket for the West. The strest was made on a telegraphic dispatch frem Putston, which stated that Sethens had fled to that city after committing icd soont assaults ou two little girls.

A dispatch from Burton, W. Va., reports that on Friday night, May 6th, four men broke icto the house of Mr. McMasters, a newly married man, seized and bound him and then in his presence indecently assaulted his wife, Brant O'Neal and James and John McGaffy excitement prevails and Ignobing is freely spo-

A terrible murder was committed on Monday night in Spartanburg county, S. C. Berryman W. Hicks, a white man, thirty years of age, killed his wife, first shooting her and then cutting her throat. He then made two desperate attempts at suicide by cutting his own throat, inflicting dangerous wounds. The alleged motive for the murder was the infidelity of his wife. He has been ledged in jail.

Charlie Green, a lad who mysteriously dis appeared from Brocklyn, N. Y., some time ago, was brought to the Monastery of St. Francis, on the summit of the Alleghany monn. taics, near Cresson, Pa., one day last week by two tramps. The men, who are surposed to have abducted him, rao away, but the boy was detained and his parents advised of his where-

VIRGINIA NEWS.

Hon. E. M. Braxton is one of the candidates for the Fredericksburg town coureil. Such a beavy apple bleom as the present has

nover before been seen in Clarke county. A company is being organized in Richmond for the purpose of introducing the cleatric light

It is understood that the eweers of the Nat-

ural Bridge property are arranging for extensive improvements there. The thermometer in Richmond yesterday

read as follows: 9 a. m., 90°; 12 m., 94°; 2:30 p. m., 96°. The Danish brig And with a cargo of flour valued at \$11.125, cleared at Richmond yester-

day, for Rio Grande do Sul. On Wednesday morning last, Mrs. Mary Lack, consort of Wm. Lack, died at her heme in Lossburg in the 77th year of her age.

On Monday last, Bailey, the 9 year old son of Judge J. B. Jett, of Stafford in metion, having caught it in the whee!. Mr. A. E Bancroft who about five years ago

purchased a fine estate in Clarke county, where he resided up to last year, died at Bournemouth, England, on Friday, the 221 of April. Just at the time when water is most needed

Richmond is again threatened with a water famine which is esid to be occasioned by the old wern out machinery at the pump house oceding repairs.

The Virgicia Board of Education has appein tel the following superintendents of schools for the term beginning July 1, ISSI: Albemarle, D. P. Pewer; Alexandria county, George R. Adams; Culpeper, John A. Holtzman; King George, Captain Willam E. Baker, Loudoun. L. M. Shumate; Louisa, Rev. L. J. Haler; Madison, Ray, W. A. Hill; Rappshannock, Henry Torner; Stafford, Captain B. L. Capper; Warren, G. E. Rey.

U.S. Kenate. The entire executive session of the Senate

yesterday afternoon was davoted to further consideration of the nomination of ex-Senator Stanley Matthews for appointment as an A-sociato Justico of the Supreme Court. The priceipal speakers yesterday were Senators Edmunds, David Davis, Logan, and McMillan, in opposition, and Senator: Sherman, Pendleton, and Beek in advencey of outfirmation. The debate was very similar to that of Wednesday, the speeches being, to a large extent, eleborate amplifications of the argument then advanced by the respective friends and opponents of the nomination, to the effect, on the one hand that, Judgo Matthews is eminently qualified for the Supreme Bench by his great legal ability and personal integrity; and, on the other, that his

views concerning the constationality of the Pac fie Railroad funding act and similar questions are such as might imperial the stability of the last Supreme Court decision on those sub jects in the event of his confirmation; and that his appointment is objectionable for geographical reasons. It was also argued by Senator Edmunds yesterday that Judge Matthews' oration at the utvailing of the Thomas statue, which had previously been calicized as favoring a contralization of power in the Federal Govern ment, was in fact amenable to severe criticism as an ecucciation of State Rights heresies. At

the end of the discussion a vote was taken on the question of confirmation, which resultedyeas, 22; pays, 21; so the comination was confirmed. The affirmative and the negative totals were both about equally divided between the two political parties. The closeness of this vote recalls to persons familiary with the history of the Supreme Court the fact that Justice Clifford was confirmed in 1858 by the same bare majorly of one. It is also mentioned that when Presi dent Jeckson nominated Roger B. Taney (after his service as Secretary of the Treasury) to be nomination was he'd by the Senate several months, until the last day of the session, and was then indeficitely postponed; but when, after the death of Chief Justice Marshall, Judge Tacey was nominated at the next sission of the Senate to be Chief Justice, his nomination, although still opposed by Senators Henry

considerable majority. It was stated in some circles last night that the Senator who was paired with Teller, of Colorado. voted for Matthews' confirmation under the belief that Mr. Teller desired to vote chester; Representative to great council U. S. | was opposed to the confirmation. The Senator,

Clay and Daniel Webster, was confirmed by a

it is said, on being informed of this, stated that he would ask unanimous consent of the

TO-DAY'S TELEGRAPH NEWS

Desperate Characters.

CINCINNATI, May 13 -The Retublicat's Charleston, Mo., special says: Four men, Frank Brown, Jesse Meyers, Jas. Hamilton and Pat Rhodes, visted the house of Wm. Knex, 5 miles south of New Madrid, last Monday night, with the intention of killing bim and his Lalf sister on coount of an old grudge, A man named Coleman was carrying a child and walking the floor of the house and, mistaking Coleman for Knex, the party fired on him and wounded both him and the child. A warrant was issued Tuesday for the arrest of the assassios, and Speriff Walters, with a posse, started in pursuit and overtook them at Bayne's store, 5 miles south of 8.k ston. The men fled to the woods and scoreted themselves behind a fallen tree. When the pesie came up they received a voiley from the concealed party, and Ribt. La Farge was killed. The sheriff's party lived in the Indian Territory, crossed into returned the fire Lu: receiving a scond volley Texas to settle a difficulty, and Weatherby was they retired. The desperadors then rebbed the dead body of La Farge of his watch, money and shirt studs, and fled. In the evening Pat Rhodes, one of the gang, who had beca wounded by the sheriff's posse, came in and gave himself up. This morning a party of vigilants took him out and hanged him, and hundreds of men are securing the country in every direction for the remainder of the party. If caught they will be served as Rhodes was Republican Canons.

WASHINGTON, May, 13 .- During the conferonce attention was called to the fact (which bas quite generally been lost sight of,) that the soion taken by the caucus last week in regard to the contested cases, extended no further than to provide that they should not be brought before the Senate until after clearing the docket of propercated business, and various Senators to day announced that from and after the time when this olearance shall be effected have been arrested as the perpetrators. Great (which is appearantly very near at hand) they will not cuter into any agreement or understanding in regard to any contested nomination, but will hold themselves free to move for prompt action upon all such cases in to cordater; with their individual judgments. and restricted only by the rules of the Senate. In view of these announce) ments it is considered improbable that any attempt will be made to obtain cauens action on the suiject, and unless the controversy in regard to the Robertson comination be averted by some other means it will doubtless be brought before the Senate soon after the inter vening business shall have been disposed of. The caucus to day adjourned, subject to the call of the chairman.

The Consolidation of the Telegraph

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 13—It is r liably stated that the consolidation of the Western Union and Northwestern Telegraph Companies has been effected. The formal announcement will be made by the end of this month. The Western Union absorbs the Northwestern and the management will be the same as the Central Division of the Western Union with its office at

France and Innis.

Tunis, May 13 .- The French troops arrived at Manouba, near Tunis to day. Gen. Breard sent word to M. Roustan, French Consul-General here that he held himself at the disposal of the latter.

Paris, May 13 -All the journals here agprove the ministerial statement relative to the Tunisian affair.

Death from Jumping a Rope.

MILWAUREE, Wis., May 13 .-- A special dispatch to the Republican from Racine says:— Annie Myrtio, a girl 13 years of age, died yes-torday from the effects of 'jumping the rope." She jumped 10! times, which so injured her brain and other internal organs that she was a terrible sufferer until relieved by death. Anothor girl, Mary Faber, is very sick from the same

Proceedings of the Senate To-day. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 13 .- On motion of Mr. Dawes it was ordered that when the Sepate adjiura to day, it be to meet en Mor-

day next, and then at 12:05, the Senate went

into executivo session. Death from Sunstroke.

CLEVELAND, O., May 13 -Andrew Johnson died last evening from tunstreke, sustained en Wednesday. He was a Swede and had been only 10 days in the country.

Urquestionably St. Jacob's Oil is the best remedy for theumstism ever discovered,

Financial.

NEW YORK May 13 .- The Pest's financial article says: At the stock exchange U. S. bonds are very strong the 4: being up to 117%, the 41s to 116, the called 53 (without privilege of (xtension) to 103 and the 6s to 105. The new 34 per cents, called by the bankers the "Windeling," ere up to 102fal. Railroad invest. ments are very strong. State bonds are without important change, excepting Tennessee 62. new series, which sre down 1; to 741. The steck market is strong to banyant, the net resuit of the fluctuations up to the time that we willo being an advance of 1 to 61 per cont, the latter Hannibal and St. Joseph, which is up to 801, and the preferred to 113 from 1121.

The Markets. BALTIMORE, May 13 .- Virginia 6s old -: do deferred -; do consolidated 851; do second reries 411; past due coupons 961; new 10.40s 523 10.403 coup 96½ bid to day. Cotton dull; middling IC310½. Fleur steady; Howard at and Western super 3 25.554; do extra 4 25.55; do family 5 25.55 35; City Mills super 3:60.54; do extra 4:5:\$5; do family 6:50a\$6:62; do Rio brands \$6:50; Patapaco family \$7. Wheat-Southern steady; Western easier and dull; Southern red 121a126; do amber 123a131; No 1 Maryland nominally 131; No 2 Western winter red spot 1253 4125; May 121a1241; June 121a1213; red spot 12073125; May 12181292; June 12181212; July 1162 st162; Aug 113181134. Corn—Scuth-orn easier for white; yellow steady; Western higher and strong; Southern white 50; do yel-low 60; Western mixed spot 59859; May 5731 58; June and July 558551; Aug 553253; steamer 571. Clais firm. Western white 59853; do mixed 574. Oats firm; Western white 52a53; do mixed 49a51. Rye quiet at 115. Hay quiet; prime to choice Penna and Maryland 29a\$2150. Coffee quiet; Rio cargoes ordinary to fair 91:112. Eugar firm; A soft 93. Whiskey dull at \$1 10. New York, May 13 .- Stocks firm. Money 3.4. Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat a shade better. Corn quiet.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, goat once and get a bottle of Mrs. WINSLOW'S SOUTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately-depend upon it there is no mistake about it. There is not mother on earth who has ever used it who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bow els, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Bold everywhere. 25 cents

mh21 A CARD. - I wish simply to give the public a true statement of my case which came be-fore the Mayor yesterday, and which caused my suspension from the effice of City Scavenger. The facts are these: I was requested by Mr. Smoot to empty his well, and I agreed to do it for \$2 per foot—50 cents less than the law allowed me for it. I only requested Mr. Smoot to erect a place for me so that I could work at it, and he declined to do so, which, I proved before his honor the Mayor was the custom for the last fifty years. The statement that I declined to do it is not true. I did not think that I had to do for Mr. Smoot what I never had done for any one sires I had been in office nor what any of my predecessors had ever performed.

ORANGES and LEMONS, prime, just re-J. C. MILBURN.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

There were no cases at polica headquarters The United States ship Constitution arrived at the Portsmouth pavy yard yesterday morning. The United States thip Portsmeuth arrived at the naval specierage, off Norfels, yesterday

A marriage licenso was issued in Washington yesterday to Robert H. Pumphrey and Mollie Soper, both of Prices George's county, Md.

A large number of colored people left here folk to work on the truck farms around that city. Captain P. B. Hoos shipped 6000 bushels of grain to New York to-day on the steamer John

Ann Lucis, colored, for an assault on Edmopia Harris, also colored, was sent to juil this morning for 60 days by Justice Thompson.

Mr. Al. Hicks, formerly of this city, but now of Maryland, is here on a visit to his friends.

There was but on boat on the line between this city and Washington to day. The steamer City of Alexandria broke her piston rod yesterday and had to be withdrawn for repairs. The little daughter of Mary White, colored,

fell yesterday evening opposite the fair grounds and broke her thigh. Dr. E. A. Stabler rendered the necessary surgical assistance. The lady friends of the A. L. I. will meet tcmorrow atternoon at Armory Hall to make ar-

rangements for a strawberry festival for the banefit of that company. Col. A. J. Bowen will address the Reform Club this evening. Mr. B. comes recommended as an entertaining speaker. Rev. Mr. Poul son is also expected to be present and address

the meeting. Mr. Wm. Crockett, residing on Alfred street, was robbed of a quantity of wood a few pights ago. The man who will steal wood in such weather as is at present prevailing must be a

Mr. Osor Beggott will kill this evening and have at his stall to the market to merrow a fine lot of spring lamb, yeal and mutton, all of which were selected from the "teps" of the offerrogs on the market this week.

Another eighty ton engine, built at Paterson, N. J., for the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company, passed through here yesterdsy over the Virginia Midland Road. This is the third erg eo of this class that has passed through nere for the C. & O. Road within the past two weeks.

Msjor George Duffey, Commissioner of the Revenue, having decided that a merchant must pay a license of \$100 on his purchases before he can claim the privileges of a sample merchant, the matter was referred to Auditor Massey. This morning Major Duffly received a letter from the Auditor informing him that his interpetration of the law on the subject was perfectly cor-

"I don't want that Stuff,"

Is what a lady of Boston said to her husband when he brought home same medicine to care her of sick headsche and neuralgia which bad made her miserable for fourteen years. At the first attack thereafter, it was administered to her with such good results, that she continued its use until cured, and made so enthusiastic in its praise that she induced twenty-two of the best families in her circle to adopt it as their regular family medicine. That "stuff is Hop Bitters."-Standard.

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McBurney & Son have just received from the MILL PARK VINEYARDS twenty five cases of Rose of Virginia and Norton's Seedling CLARET WINES. These wines are so celebrated for their fine flavor and purity that comment is unnecessary. Quart and pint bottles.

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the use of this instrument. It has been thoroughly tested and works like a charm; price \$1.75.

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Clincher; same principle as the larger, but for lighter work; can carry it in the vest pocket. Staples, all sizes, of bright steel wire and phosphor bronze, in boxes of 500 each, the former at 25c; phosphor 30c. This is the most thoroughly practical article offered for many a day.
my18 GEO. E. FRENCH.

TO CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.

Sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned until 6 o'clock p. m., on WEDNESDAY the 18th inst, for the ERECTION AND COM-PLETION upon Lambert & McKenzie's Wharf, fronting the burned warehouse, of a frame BOAT HOUSE for the OLD DOMINION BOAT CLUB of this city, according to plans and specifications which can be seen during the intervening days from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., at the office of Benjamin F. Prices, esq, who will give such information as may be desired. The Building Committee reserve the right to reject any or GEO. A. MUSHBACH President.

PORCELAIN LINED KETTLES!

PORCELAIN LINED RETTLES!

We have just received a full line of the above; also Saucepans. For sale at low prices, McLEAN & UHLER, 76 King street.

TO BRIDGE BUILDERS—We have on hatd and keep regularly for sale hand made WROUGHT SPIKES of best quality, to which attention is invited. J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

88 King, cor. of Royal st. AN ADJOURNED MEETING OF THE stockholders of the ALEXANDRIA CA-NAL CO. will be held in the Council Chamber on MONDAY, May 16th, at 12 o'clock m. my13-2t L. E. UHLER, Secretary. LISLE THREAD GLOVES in two and three clastics. Prices 25c, 40c, 50c, 75c, \$1 00 and \$1 25 per pair. C. M. ADAMS.

my13-6t 92 King street. CHILDRENS' HALF AND THREE-C. M. ADAMS. 92 King at.

CHILDRENS'SUMMER UNDERSHIRTS
low neck and short sleeves. Sizes 16 to 34
inches.
C. M. ADAMS, 92 King street. SEEEP SHEARS AND WOOL TWINE, just received and for sale at 83 King, corner of Koyal street. J. T. OREIGHTON & SON.

CROQUET SETS! CROQUET SETS!

Just received and for sale cheap at McLEAN & UHLER'S,

FOREIGN NEWS.

The Bey of Tunis has been officially notified that if Turk'sh war ships arrive at Goletta French troops will immediatelly occupy Tuni-Arobbishop Creke has written a latter to Mr. Parnell, protesting against his course on the Land bill.

A report was current at Tuan, Ireland youer. day that an emigrant ship which left Galway last week had sunk with all on board.

The delay in appointing a successor to Sir Edward Thornton, British Minister at Wasing. ton, is attributed to Sir Austin H. Layard's reluctance to accept a post below an ambases. dorship.

At the City of Mexico, Wednesday, Cen. Grant signed the new contract with the M xi can government, embracing the extension of the Mexican Southern railway. It was to be stb. mitted to the Congress yesterday.

It is permitted to publish from an authoric and reliable source the definite information that the Marquis of Lorne has communicated to the members of the Canadian government his determination to retire from the governor general. ship after his Manitoba journey.

The Czar reviewed 50,000 troops at St. Petersburg Wednesday. He rede in an open carriage through the streets and on horseback on the field of review. The Cossack guard was dispensed with, but a brilliant cohort of mount. ed officers attended him.

The reported rising against the Jews in South. ero Russia was not exagerated. A number were killed and wounded, and many had their houses pilleged or burged. A merchant of Limbers received a telegram from Kieff yesterday stating that the whole quarter, known as Podel, he been burned. The damage is estimated at 30,000,000 roubles. Crowds of refugee Jews are crossing the Austrian frontier at l'edance.

## "Women Never Think," If the crabbed old bachelor who uttered this

sentiment could but witness the intense thought. deep study and thorough investigation of wemen in determining the best medicines to keer their families well, and would note their signe city and wisdom in selecting Hop Bitters as the best, and demonstrating it by keeping than families in perpetual health, at a mere nominal expense, he would be forced to acknowled; that such sentiments are baseless and talse Picayune.

## OFFICIAL.

An Acr to probibit the sale of intex catie liquors from 12 o'clock on Salurday ng u each and every week until 12 o'clock of the succeeding Sanday night.

Be it enacted by the City Council of Alexan dria: 1. That no bar room, salour, or other place for the sale of intexicating I quors, shall be opened, and no intexicating bitters or other drink shall be sold in any bar room, restantant, aloon, store, or other place, from 12 o'cles en Saturday night of each and every week, unit 12 o'clock of the succeeding Sanday pigh And any person violating the provisions of the Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeaner. and if convicted shall be punished by fice not less than ten dollars for the first offence por more than twenty dollars for each subse-

quent offence. 2. This Ac: shall be in force from its parage. Passed ly the Board of Aldermen, May 10 E. E. DOWNHAM, President. Passed by the Common Council May 10, 1881.

J. T. BECKHAM, President. Approved May 12, 1881.
COURTLAND H. SMITH, Mayor. JAMES R. CATON,

Clerk Common Cource . An Acr prohibiting the sale of tobacce, eightand other articles of merchandise from 12 o'clock on Saturday night of each and every

week, until 12 o'clock of the succeeding

day night.

Be it enacted by the City Council of Alcon dria: 1. That no person in this city shall frem 12 o'clock on Saturday night of each and every week, until 12 o'cleck of the succeeding Sunday night, sell, dispose of or barter, any to breso, eigars, candy, soda or mineral waters, or any other goods, wares or merchandise whole . ever. And any person violating the provisions of this Act shall, if convic of be fixed for the first offence the sum of two dollars, and for each subarquent office shall be fined the sum of five dellars-the said fine for the use of the Corporation. Provided, That this Act shall not apply to mik or ie; dealers in supplying their customers, or to apotheories when twtirg up bona fide prescriptions or selling nee s

sary medicines. 2 This Act shall be in force from its pass go. Passed by the Board of Aldermen May 10. E. E. DOWNHAM, President. Passed by Common Council May 10, 1881.

J. T. BECKHAM, President. Approved May 12, 1881 COURTLAND H. SMITH, Mayor JAMES R. CATON. Clark Common Cource

A CARD.-I was surprised to see tay name officially announced in yesterday's Gathe Second ward on the temperance ticket. I was asked by some gentlemen representing that party to allow my name to be used, but positively declined for good and sufficient reason. Thanking the gentlemen for this expression of their confidence in me. I must adhere to my its-

termination. Respectfully,
Thos. LEADBEATER Of the gentlemen mentioned for re ecc-tion to the Board of Aldermen no one is mare deserving of the endorsement of his fellow c tizens than Henry Strauss, esq, whose fidelity to the trust herstofore confided to him is worthy of all praise. It is hoped be will be unar i nous y [lt ] returned.

With thanks to the temperance meet ng for the honor intended in neminating me for the honor intended in neminating me for the founcilman on Wednesday night lest I respectfully decline the nomination.

18 WHEAT. To the Lady Friends of the Alexan ris Light Infantry Company: You are requested to meet at the armory on Saturday evening, May

14th, at 5 o'clock, for the purpose of arranging for a strawberry festival for the benefit of the company. By order of the committee. [mll-33 J. P. BRODERS, Alexandria, Va Alexandria, Va.

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GRIFFITH ATKINSON,

A DMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—The sub-scriber having qualified as administrator upon the estate of Wm. H. Irwin, deceased. hereby notifies all persons having claims against the estate of said Wm. H Irwin to present them to him duly authenticated, and all persons it-debted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment to the subscriber.

my2-tw4w Administrator. DWELLING FOR RENT-Toe BRICK DWELLING on the southeast corner of Pitt and Wolfe sts. Possession given 1st May. GBEEN & WISE.

FAMILY ROE POTOMAC HERRING AT sale at [mg6] J. C. MILBURN'S.

4 BOXES BABBITT'S BALL LYE received NORTHERN PACKED BUTTER just received by [ap22] J. C. MILBURN.

76 King street.